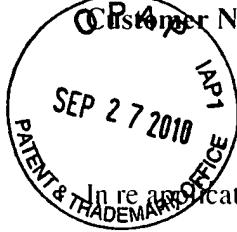


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Utility	330	165	540	270	220	110	_____
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